

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: McGill et al. :
Serial No. 09/857,496 : Attorney Docket No. 053775-5001
Filed: June 5, 2001 :
For: Derivative Securities And System :
For Trading Same :

**PETITION FOR THREE-MONTH EXTENSION
OF TIME AND FEE TRANSMITTAL**

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions the Commissioner pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) to extend the time for response to the Final Office Action mailed May 1, 2007, having a three-month period for response expiring August 1, 2007, by three months to and including November 1, 2007.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees required in connection with this Petition to Deposit Account No. 50-0310.

Respectfully submitted,

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